

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 1745.

Copenhagen, December 13.



On Thursday last two large Men of War, that have been lately built here, were launch'd in the Presence of the King and the Court. M. D'Aidenfeldt, the Hanoverian Minister, is very assiduous in his Applications to the Ministry; and the general Opinion here is, that he will carry his Point, and

a Body of 12,000 Men to enter into the Pay of the King's Powers, as soon as the Treaty of Subsidy, between this Crown and that of France, shall be concluded. It is certain that the French have enter'd into a new Negotiation at the Court of Sweden; and it is believed, that they have endeavour'd to insinuate into the Court of Moscow many Advantages that might induce the House of Holstein, by their Accession to the Treaty of Union lately concluded at Frankfort. A has been likewise set on Foot, for procuring the Services of the Prince and Princess of Brunswick, and a considerable Establishment for them in Germany; but it is believed, that the Pains taken by France and Prussia to bring about these Sort of Schemes, are very far from being agreeable to the Emperor's Design. We are confirm'd in this Opinion, by the Resolutions shewn by the Court of Moscow to accommodate the Differences between this Crown and the House of Holstein, to the mutual Satisfaction of both Parties, under the Guaranty of the Maritime Powers; and we are assured, that a Treaty for this Purpose is already advanced.

On December 8. Prince Lobkowitz has established his Quarters in this Town; and his Troops are not only in our Neighbourhood, but at Pano, and the adjacent Villages. They are at present, in a very indifferent Condition; but it is believed, that they will be quickly reforc'd by a Detachment of 6 and 7000 Men from Piedmont, by a small number of Austrians that have lately landed at Leghorn, and a considerable Number of Recruits from Germany, the Van Guard of which are already advanced as far as the Bolognese. The Army of Spain is at present encamp'd at Peruggia, Foligno, Atissi, and Anagni. They are in a much better Condition than could well be expected, considering the great Hardships they met with during their long Stay at Velletri; and as they have lately receiv'd a very considerable Supply of Money, there is Reason to be made that they will very speedily be re-mount their Cavalry.

On December 25. It was generally believed here, upon receiving our Elector's Letter, excusing him from complying with the Demands of the Marshal de Brois, the French would have applied themselves to the Imperial Court, before they proceeded to any Hostilities; but the contrary is now evident, since the French have advanced, last Night, as far as Siegbourg; so they prosecute their Design, they will intally be before this City by To-morrow Noon. In the Time, we have made all possible Dispositions for Defence; the Burghers are all under Arms; our Cannon mounted on our Ramparts; and, in short, all in such a Condition, as may enable us to prevent the French from becoming Masters of the Place, and the Arrival of the Succours we expect; the Van Guard of which are already within 40 Miles of us. Measures taken by the French, upon this Occasion, are decisive; that is to say, they must determine whether the Neutral States of the Empire shall remain in that Condition, or be obliged to take Part in the War, in which they have no Concern, whether they will or not.

On December 22. The Corps of the late Archduke Albert, after having been exposed for three Days to the Elements, was carried to the Church of St. Gudula, where it was deposited in the Vault in which lie the Bodies of Archduke Albert, the Infanta Isabella, the Electress of Bavaria, her Serene Highness Mary Elisabeth, late Governess of these Countries, and the young Archduke. The Inscription on her Serene Highness's Coffin ran in the following Words:

Hic jacet reconditum,
Austriacæ Gentis, et Generis humani Decus,
Regia Hungariæ et Bohemiæ Princeps,
Archidux Austriæ,
MARIA ANNA,
D. Caroli vi. Romanorum Imperatoris Filia,
MARIE THERESIE

Hungariæ et Bohemiæ Regiæ Soror,
CAROLO ALEXANDRO

Lotharingiæ et Barre Ducis Nupta,

Belgii Austriaci Gubernatrix;

Quæ nata Vindebonæ die xiv Septembris à M. D. C. C.
xviii.

Vixit ad ætatem parum, ad Gloriam satis;

Et Defunctis Bruxellis die xvi Decembris à M. D. C. C.
xxxiv.

That is: Here lies interr'd, of the Austrian Family, and of the Humane Race, the Ornament; of the Hungarian and Bohemian Kingdoms, the Princess; and of Austria, the Archduchess, Mary Anne; Daughter of the late Emperor of the Romans, Charles VI. of Maria Theresia, Queen of Hungary and Bohemia, the Sister; the Spouse of Charles Alexander, Duke of Lorraine and Barr; of the Austrian Netherlands the Governess: Who was born at Vienna the 14th of September, 1718; and, after a Life short in itself, but full of Glory, deceas'd at Brussels December the 16th, 1744.

IRELAND.

Dublin, December 22. Last Thursday died, after a lingering Illness, Mrs. Ryder, Wife of the Right Rev. Dr. Ryder, Bishop of Down; a Lady of most amiable Qualities, and sweet Temper.

Last Thursday died John Hawkshaw, Esq; Doctor of Laws; by whose Death a Post of great Consequence to his Majesty's Subjects, now in Time of War, is fallen to the Crown; that is, the Place of Judge of the High Court of Admiralty in Ireland.

The same Day died the Rev. John Eusebius Smith, one of the Vicar's Choral of the Cathedrals of Christ Church and St. Patrick's.

The same Day died Mrs. Mary Anne Nugent, a Lady related to the best Families in Ireland.

To Mr. Handel, on hearing his grand Oratorio, called the MESSIAH, performed to Cathedral Service in the Church of St. Finbarry's, Cork, Thursday, Dec. 6, 1744.

By MR. DELACOURT.

'Great Son of Tubal! how thy Concoords flow,
'Wing the soft Sigh, and melt the Breast of Snow!
'More than Cæcilia did, you made appear,
'She drew one Angel, but you Thousands, here.
'Here, in brisk Strains, young Cherubims rejoice;
'Or God apparent, in the small still Voice! [Tomb
'Hark! his Trump sounds, and calls each neighb'ring
'To the last Audit, or the Day of Doom:
'Ne'er were my Passions shook, so rous'd before,
'It thrill'd my Blood, my Pulses beat no more;
'Death seem'd attentive to th' harmonious Sphere,
'And Silence Self, for listening in my Ear.
'Thus Eastern Swains, that kept the flocks by Night,
'Heard Songs Seraphic hymn'd by Sons of Light;
'Their Awe-struck Senses seem'd absorb'd and lost,
'Drown'd in the Chorus of the Heav'nly Host.
'Well might Men say with Jacob, in that Case,
'Of Barry's Cell, how dreadful is this Place!
'Surely the Lord is here from Morn till Ev'n,
'This is the House of God, and this the Gate of Heav'n.'

COUNTRY NEWS.

Bristol, December 29. The Townsend Privateer, of this Port, on her first Cruise, has sent in here the St. John, one of the French Fleet, which she took the 10th Inst. in Lat 43, in Company with another, which was ransom'd for 9400*l*. The above-Prize is laden with Fish.

The Lion Privateer, Capt. Furnell, sent into Kingroad, last Sunday, the St. Peter, a French Schooner, one of the Fleet from Cape Breton, laden with Fish and Oyl. The Lion also took another Ship, of the said Fleet, after an obstinate Engagement of seven Glasses, but she is not arrived; and the Schooner left the Lion engag'd with a French Privateer of 29 Guns. As there is no News of her since, the Insurance is risen to a high Premium.

Last Wednesday the Falcon Privateer, Capt. Stonehouse, formerly a French Prize, taken by the Southwell, Burthen 300 Tons, carrying 22 Guns, Six and Nine Pounders, and 180 Men, fell down the River on a Cruise.

By the Correl Ship arrived at Pool, with 230 English Prisoners, we learn, that another Vessel with 123 English Prisoners more, was unfortunately lost in a Bay near St. Maloe's, on Wednesday Fortnight, in a violent Storm: But as several of these Prisoners are since arrived here, they report that some of them were saved; and others

took up dead, floating on loose Timbers of the Vessel, supposed to have perish'd with the Cold.

Came in since our last, the Molly and Betty, from Virginia. Arrived at Dublin, the Philly, the Rotterdam Merchant, and the Charming Barbara, from Bristol.

HOME PORTS.

Dublin, December 24. Arrived the Dorothy, Trimble, from Whitehaven for Bourdeaux, with 270 Hogf. heads of Tobacco; the N. Seniors St. Anthony, Rea, from Faro; the St. John Goodfortune, Dennis, from Bourdeaux; the N. Seniors de Matiera, Martin, from Lisbon; the Carpenter, Boy, from Stockholm; and the Salisbury, Strong, from London.

Bristol, December 29. Yesterday arriv'd here the Portmahon Man of War from a Cruise, and brought under her Convoy the Trial and Tuscany's Prizes from Kinsale, who are arrived here. Arrived here the Nancy, from Boston; by whom there are Letters from Jamaica, dated the 18th of September, advising the Arrival there of the Palm Tree, Dighton, the Becker, Turner, and the Tryton, Robins, all from Jamaica. Also arrived the Gertrude, Ball, from Boston.

Falmouth, December 28. Arrived the George Galley, Gover, from Virginia.

Plymouth, December 29. Arrived the Defence Privateer, Capt. Bonham, from a Cruise.

Dartmouth, December 28. Wind W. N. W. This Day came in the Three Sisters, Warn, from Cowes for Plymouth; and the Elizabeth, Lingdon, from Southampton for Milford. Sailed the Three Sisters, Sheppard, from hence for Guernsey. Admiral Medley pass'd by this Place Yesterday, with the Fleet under his Command.

Pool, December 29. Wind N. W. Sailed the William, Christian, and the Desire, Rogers, for London; and the Chatfield Jolliffe, Reed, for South Carolina.

Cowes, December 29. Wind W. The 26th failed the Drie Goed Vecinde, Baereutz, and the Eliza Galley, Vinck, from Rotterdam for Waterford and St. Eustacia; the Jonge Heena, Cau, for Bajonne; and the St. Peter, Cau, for Waterford, both from Zurichzee; the Uro Maria, Janfen, from Hamburg for Oporto; the Thomas and Mary, Ely, from Southampton; and the John and Sarah, White, from Chichester for Dublin. The 27th came in the Rose in June, Warminston, from Morlaix, and failed the same Day for Portsmouth; also came in the Martha and Elizabeth, Hedger, and the Sally and Betsey, Serjeant, both from Chichester; the Mark and Rebecca, Sandford, from Arundel, all for Ireland; and the Expedition, Hendy, from Chichester, for Bristol. The 28th came in the Chatfield Jolliffe, Reed, from Pool, and failed this Morning for Spithead; the Dispatch, Tanner, from Southampton for Dublin; and the Expedition, Major, from London for Dublin. This Morning came in the Centurion Privateer, Capt. Haliburton, from the Downs, bound on a Cruise. The Captain writes, that on the 27th Instant he spoke with a Ham-burgher, from Lisbon for Hamburg, who was brought too, and searched by a French Privateer of 30 Guns, off the Start; who had taken that Day (the 24th) the Pidgeon, Joshua Brown, from Santa Cruz, bound for London, eight Leagues from Plymouth.

Dover, December 29. Wind W. S. W. Last Night came in here the Grand St. Esprit Prize; she is one of the Fleet from Cape-Breton, and was bound to Bayonne, but was taken the 13th Instant by the Defence Privateer, Capt. Bonham.

Deal, December 30. Wind S. W. Last Night his Majesty's Ship the Wager failed to the Westward, and the Pearl, for a Cruise. Arrived the Hannah, Smithard, from New England for Rotterdam. Came down the Havanna, Beaton, for Gibraltar; and remain with the Princess Louisa, Harwich, and Shoreham Men of War, with the Outward-bound as per list.

Graveland, December 30. Passed by the Isaac, Dean, and the Robert and Bridget, from the Wreck of the Matthews, Tidmarsh, now on Shore in White stable Lay, from Boston.

Arrived

At Virginia, the London Factor, Teague, from London.

LONDON.

The Joseph and Anne, Coates, from Lynn for London, is lost near Cromer.

The Real Friendship, Thurlow, from Lynn for Rotterdam, was taken by a French Privateer near Leith. They put Seven Hands on board her, and left the Mate and Boy on board; who, at the Request of the Frenchmen to put the Ship into some safe Place, carried her to Ostend.

The Success, Atkins, belonging to Lynn, was taken by the said Privateer, but lost going into Dunkirk.
The Barclay, Dobh, from Liverpool, was well the 22d of August on the Coast of Africa.
The Lisbon Trader, St. Barbe, from Portsmouth for Lisbon, is taken, and carried into Brest.
The Mulberry, Barton, from Jamaica for Liverpool, is taken, and carried into Brest.
The Lords of the Admiralty have appointed Captain Thomas Hill to be Commander of his Majesty's Sloop the Hazard, lately launch'd at Deptford; and she is order'd to be Man'd and Victuall'd for immediate Service.

Last Saturday Night died, after a short Illness, at his House in Graftstreet, Mr. Bourne, one of the Common-Council for Cripplegate Ward.

The Right Hon. the Lord Chancellor has presented the Rev. Mr. John Shydy, to the Vicarage of Pontefract, alias Pomfret, in the County of York.

A Dispensation has pass'd the Great Seal, to enable John Symmonds, M. A. Chaplain to the Right Hon. the Earl of Sandwich, to hold the Vicarage of Dullingham, in the County of Cambridge, together with the Vicarage of Hedgeworth, in the said County.

Yesterday Morning a Woman was found dead in an empty House in Kent-street, Southwark, supposed to have been murdered, there appearing several Marks of Violence about her.

Yesterday the following Numbers were drawn Prizes in the State Lottery; viz. 36 459. 1000l. 24 827. 500l. 58,011. 11,913. 44,117. 3464. 100l. each.

The Drawing of the Lottery will be finish'd To-morrow Morning.

High Water this Day	Morning	Evening
at London-Bridge.	07 10	07 32

Bank Stock, 145. India, 184. South Sea, Nothing done. Old Annuity, 111 1-4th to 111. New ditto, Nothing done. Three per Cent. Nothing done. Ditto 1743. Nothing done. Ditto 1744. Nothing done. Seven per Cent. Loan, Nothing done. Five per Cent. ditto, Nothing done. Royal Assurance, 88. London Assurance, 11 1-4th. India Bonds, 2 l. 4 s. to 2 l. Bank Circulation, 2 l. 5 s. Salt Talties, Nothing done. Three 1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders, 100. Three per Cent. ditto, 90. Million Bank, 116. Equivalent, 110. Tickets, 151.

Admiralty-Office, December 22, 1744.

Whereas by an Establishment, which has been long in Force in the Royal Navy, a Schoolmaster is allowed to each of his Majesty's Ships of the Third, Fourth, and Fifth Rate, with the Allowance of Midshipman's Pay, and Twenty Pounds a Year besides for his Encouragement; but an Opinion having prevail'd of late Years, that since the Erection of a Royal Academy at Portsmouth, for Educating and Training up Gentlemen's Sons for his Majesty's Sea Service, the Establishment of Schoolmasters has been abolished; which Opinion being hurtful to his Majesty's Service, by preventing Persons from applying to be employed in that Capacity, and thereby depriving the Youth, who serve on Board his Majesty's Ships, of the necessary Assistance for perfecting themselves in the Art of Navigation: The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty think proper to order this publick Notice to be given, that the Establishment of Schoolmasters on Board the Ships of the Royal Navy is still in Force; and that if Persons properly qualified, by having pass'd an Examination at Trinity House, will apply to this Office, they shall meet with all due Encouragement, and be warrant'd as Schoolmasters, on board such of his Majesty's Ships as may be in want of them. And that their Attendance at Trinity House, in Water-Lane, in order to pass an Examination, may be made as easy to them as possible, the Master, Wardens, and Assistants of that Corporation, upon any Person's offering himself to be examined, either on a Wednesday or Saturday (which are their Board-Days) and producing the usual Certificate, of his being a Person of a sober Life and Conversation, and well affected to his Majesty's Person and Government, will forthwith proceed to his Examination, and continue the same every ensuing Board-Day.

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